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In re application of: Karsten HENCO, et al.

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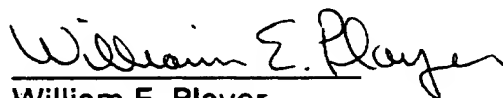
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The fee was previously submitted.

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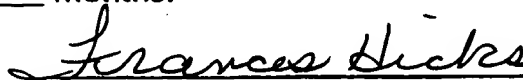
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In accordance with the decision granting the petition filed on December 23, 1997
this terminal disclaimer is accepted. The period of abandonment specified above has
been accepted as equivalent to 14 months.



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